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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Paul E. Vasil et al.
Serial No.: 09/718,179
Filing Date: 11/21/2000
For: Electronic Transaction Security Method
Group Art Unit: 1762
Examiner: Alain L. Bashore
Attorney's Docket No.: VASIL-01

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Sir:

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

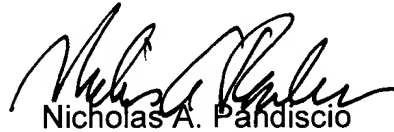
Applicants' attorney has reviewed the Examiner's Interview Summary issued on June 8, 2006, in which agreement was reached with respect to the claims of record.

Applicants' attorney has also reviewed the Examiner's Amendment which accompanied the Interview Summary, and agrees that those changes are in accord with the agreement reached during a telephone interview on February 16, 2006, with the exception of two minor errors in the changes to claim 4, lines 21-23. Those errors consist of using the word "authorizing" instead of "authorized" and have been brought to the attention of the Examiner.

On June 26, 2006, the two errors were called to the Examiner's attention via a telephone conference and the Examiner agreed to issue a further Examiner's Amendment changing "authorizing" to "authorized".

Applicant also agrees with the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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